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**TERSE TALES OF THE TOWN**

**Will Speak—**  
 Judge McBride will deliver an address before the Multnomah bar association next Tuesday. His subject will be "Legal Reminiscences, Pious Reflections and Pointless Parables."

**Burial Today—**  
 Helea Hokkanen, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hokkanen, died Friday morning. The funeral will take place today at 2 p. m. from the family residence. The body will be buried in the Greenwood cemetery.

**Hearts and Lives United—**  
 County Clerk Clinton yesterday issued wedding licenses in favor of the following young people of this city and county: Mr. H. G. Brandenberg and Miss Mabel Simler, both of Seaside; and to Mr. Richard Feakes and Miss Annie Henricson of this city.

**With Spinal Meningitis—**  
 Frank Adolph, the 10-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Johnson, of 1261 Franklin avenue, died last night. Dr. Estes, who attended the case, says the lad was suffering with a case of ear trouble for some time which developed into spinal meningitis.

**Three At a Time—**  
 Frederick Houghton, of Preston, England; Carl August Olson, of Arendal, Norway; and John Hepburn, of Nova Scotia, Canada, severally filed their declarations of intention in the matter of their citizenship in this country, yesterday with County Clerk Clinton.

**After The Kids—**  
 Sheriff Henshaw, of Tillamook, arrived in the city yesterday to take charge of the two runaway boys who were located in Seaside and hailed from the Tillamookian capital. They will go home on the steamer Sue H. Elmore today provided that vessel gets away today.

**Gone East—**  
 E. Gustafson left on yesterday's train for Calumet, Mich., to visit his mother, whom he has received word, as being very ill, and whom he has not seen since leaving his home in the old country, 23 years ago. He will visit friends in Wisconsin before returning to Astoria.

**A Lively Traveler—**  
 The tender from the engineer's department, at Fort Stevens, the swift steamer Major Guy Howard, will probably come off the ways at Leathers' yard today. When one sees the Howard flying round the bay, day after day, he hardly ever stops to think how much work such boats do in the course of a year. In conversation with Captain Gordon, of the

Howard, yesterday, it was ascertained that she travels over 1500 miles per month, or in excess of 50 miles a day, and nearly, if not quite, 20,000 miles per annum. Every mile this boat travels is registered, as is her fuel consumption, and all the practical data of her existence, according to the rules of the government everywhere.

**Police Court—**  
 Miss Nellie Nesson was arrested by Policeman Wilson yesterday, under the charge of disorderly conduct, and being under the influence of liquor. She failed to appear at police court thereby forfeiting a \$20 bail.—Two other drunks were reported and were fined \$5 each.

**Off For Europe—**  
 J. F. Christians, of this city, will depart, on Tuesday morning next, for Hamburg, Germany, on a trip to the old home land. He goes via the O. R. & N. and connections to New York city, and leaves there on the 18th of June, on the Hamburg liner, Kaiserin Augusta Victoria.

**Died At Portland—**  
 S. E. Babcock, a resident of Astoria, was removed to the Good Samaritan Hospital at Portland to receive medical attention for kidney troubles last Monday. He died there Friday evening. He was 42 years old and an invalid for the past five months. His remains will be brought to Astoria for interment.

**Funeral of Major Rowe—**  
 The late Major George W. Rowe, was laid to rest in the Grand Army plot at Ocean View cemetery Friday morning. The funeral was directed by Coroner Pohl, and services by Rev. W. S. Gilbert, pastor of the First Presbyterian church. A large number of friends of the deceased were present at the services.

**Peculiar Accident—**  
 Yesterday afternoon one of the big truck horses of the Prael-Eigner Transfer Company, while standing at the curb near the big barns on Commercial street, worked his off hind foot through one of the plank-end openings in the street and the foot slipped on down until it became so tightly jammed in the narrow slot

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that, of himself, he could not budge it. It was wedged there so completely that any wrench of his own body must have broken the hip-bone. It was necessary to rig a block and tackle directly over the animal, from a telegraph pole against which he, fortunately, laid, and hoist him clear of the difficulty. Other than a few bad bruises and some lost hide he was alright when "set on all fours."

**New Sub-Depot—**  
 Frank Woodfield's new place of business, or sub-depot for artistic goods and supplies, on Commercial street one door east of J. V. Burns' cigar store, is beginning to take form and color, and looks very handsome with its handsome plateglass angle windows. He will soon have it quite as attractive as any place of business on the street.

**High School Athletes—**  
 The Astoria High School will take a team to the interscholastic team meet which will be held at Corvallis, on next Friday and Saturday. Those who are expected to make an extra good showing are P. Short in pole-vauling and sprints; Tomala in the hammer throw and shot-put, and Herbert the high school high jumper and hurdler.

**Preliminary Examination Tomorrow—**  
 It is reported that Michael Campbell, the man who killed John McClellan, on Deep River last Wednesday, will have his preliminary examination at Cathlamet tomorrow. John C. McCue of this city, will be the defendant's counsel. Henry McGinn of Portland and J. T. Welch of South Bend, both having been retained in this behalf.

**Prominent Railroader—**  
 Jack O'Neill, the well known and popular passenger and traffic man of the O. R. & N. Company, with headquarters at Portland, spent the day here yesterday, on business connected with his road. Mr. O'Neill said that over 5000 people from Eastern Oregon and Washington, have passed through the "Portland gateway" en route to the Sound cities, to see the great fleet.

**Orders In Probate—**  
 Judge Trenchard, sitting for probate matters yesterday, made the following orders in that department: In the estate of Anna Foster, deceased, the final account of J. F. Hamilton, administrator, was filed, examined and approved; the said administrator discharged and his bond released.—In the estate of Anton Furtoda, an order was made authorizing the executor, Louis A. Myllenback, to sell certain of the realty of said estate.

**He Played Ball—**  
 Paul Kraetsch, an employe of the J. S. Dellinger Company's bookbinding, while playing ball on Bond street last evening had the bad luck to be struck squarely in the right eye by a "swift ball," and as he had his eye-glasses on at the time, suffered a bad cut on the upper lid, which had to be sewed up. He is fortunate to have escaped graver injury from the shattered glass and the twisted gold of the frame.

**A Barren Session—**  
 The County Court of Clatsop met in called session yesterday, with Judge Trenchard and Commissioners Larson and Frye in attendance and County Clerk Clinton in charge of the records. The court took cognizance of the writ heretofore sent down from Judge McBride's court in the local option cases, and as that had been quashed in the issuing court, no further action was had in relation to it. The court therefore adjourned until court in course.

**Big Diking Propositions—**  
 K. F. Johnson expects to begin his big diking operations on the Young's Bay and river frontage about the 1st of June. The machinery for the job will be here next Wednesday, and one of the barges under contract at the Wilson boat-yard is about complete and will be delivered in ample time for the opening of the work. He has five and one-third miles of dike to throw up, which will reclaim 896 acres of land, and he has two full years in which to complete his contract, though he does not expect to have to use it all. Apropos of this project, it is rumored about the city, that a big diking proposition is to be launched very shortly on the tidelands between here and Westport the details of which are likely to be made public very shortly.

**WHEN ON SUNDAY MORN YOU "WAKE UP" AND YOU HAVE NO DRESSY MAKE-UP, YOU SHOULD, ON MONDAY, EARLY RISE AND TEND THE "SALE" OF HERMAN WISE.**

**THEY WOKE UP**  
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**Farmers' Institute—**  
 A farmers' institute will be held at Skamokawa, Tuesday, May 26. The program is under the management of John Strom, president of the Skamokawa Creamery Association. Many people from this vicinity will be present, and the meeting will be an interesting one. Speeches will be made by Prof. Elliott agriculturalist at the Washington State Agricultural College in Pullman, Lowell Roubush of New Richmond, Ohio, an institute lecturer and farmer and L. W. Hansen of Seattle state food and dairy commissioner. These speakers will address on the science of farming, stock raising and dairying and give illustrations of the results attained at the various experimental stations. There will also be a domestic science lecture of interest to the ladies by Miss Myrtle Dizney, a member of the senior class at the Pullman College.

**Chairman Carney, Now—**  
 Pursuant to call, the County Republican Central Committee met at its headquarters yesterday afternoon to receive the resignation of Chairman W. F. McGregor, and to elect his successor in that office and to fill his place on the general committee. The chairmanship honors went to Frank J. Carney, and those of the membership from No. 7 (the "bloody Seventh") went to W. P. O'Brien, both gentlemen qualifying on the spot. The committee went to Seaside last evening to attend the speech-making of which Hon. E. B. Tongue was the orator, par excellence, aided, abetted and supported by Assistant District Attorney John C. McCue. Hon. Ike Bergman, the only Democratic member of the committee, while present at the afternoon session and voting for Mr. Carney, was unable to go to the coast with his colleagues.

**That New Red Roof—**  
 Anyone driving out Warrenton way these days will know they are within the precincts of Dr. B. Owens-Adair's hospitable home when they desery a right, bright, newly-painted red roof on a commodious barn; and if they don't know what to do when they discover this, they don't know Dr. Adair. The doctor says she has had two fine New Century gates swung on her farm road entrances, and that

Mr. M. H. Miller, of McMinnville, who put them up, declares he is of the mind to bring his plant up to Warrenton, and if he does, will add to it the necessary machinery for the making of barbed wire fencing; and the only dubious element of the pleasant news may arise if he changes his mind, but everyone hopes he will not. Dr. Adair has sold the timber off her 63-acre tract on the home farm, and she listens delightfully, day by day, to the cheerful sound of the ringing axe and the crashing fall of timber and the jingling accompaniment of log-chains thereabout.

**Time To Get In—**  
 H. C. McAllister, State Fish Warden for Oregon, and chairman of the Rose Festival water-carnival committee, writes to the Astorian, as follows: "The management of the Rose Festival have appointed me as chair-tee, and in this capacity I am sending you a lot of entry blanks, and would respectfully ask that you give the Water Carnival some mention in the columns of your valuable paper, calling the attention of all launch and small craft, owners to the fact that we are anxious for them to enter their boats, and help us make the Water Carnival one of the grandest and most spectacular features of the Rose Festival. I have already secured nearly 400 entries and the promise of every steamboat and barge owner, who expect to have their boats here, to decorate. You can assure the people of Astoria that they will be well treated, should they decide to enter their boats, and as to the prizes, they are handsome and well worth going after. You might mention that entry blanks can be secured at your office."

**May Not Be Eligible—**  
 L. D. Mahone, ex-minister of the Congregational Church in this city, and now a resident of Portland, is a candidate for representative on the Republican ticket of Multnomah county and it is reported that in case he is elected his seat will be contested. The assertion is made that he has not been a resident of Multnomah county long enough to qualify. It is stated that Mahone came to Portland from North Yakima last Autumn and that last March he was summoned as a witness in a Forest Grove case and

at that time gave North Yakima as his residence. It was only a few days ago that the report gained currency that Mahone was not qualified. The matter was brought to the attention of Joseph W. Beveridge and he has been investigating and securing legal advice regarding the best method for a contest. Mahone was elected on the Statement No. 1 ticket, and Beveridge was the high man on the ticket of Republican voters' choice. Had he received a few more votes he would have been nominated.

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